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**STATE OF WISCONSIN**  
**Division of Hearings and Appeals**

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In the Matter of

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

DECISION

MGE/163586

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**PRELIMINARY RECITALS**

Pursuant to a petition filed January 26, 2015, under Wis. Stat. § 49.45(5), and Wis. Admin. Code § HA 3.03(1), to review a decision by the Waukesha County Health and Human Services in regard to Medical Assistance, a hearing was held on February 17, 2015, at Waukesha, Wisconsin.

There remains no issue for determination.

Following the February 17, 2015 hearing, the record remained open until March 9, 2015 for both parties to submit additional documentation. During this open record period, the agency re-determined the petitioner's eligibility for health care coverage concluding that she was eligible for Medicaid with a deductible in the amount of \$7,480.98 for the period of October 1, 2014 through March 31, 2015, and that effective January 26, 2015 the petitioner met that deductible amount. The petitioner did not submit any other documentation. At the hearing the petitioner provided the agency additional medical bills, which the agency used in re-determining her health care coverage eligibility. The agency seems to have resolved the issues in this case. The agency informed the petitioner and myself of their re-determination of her eligibility.

There appeared at that time and place the following persons:

**PARTIES IN INTEREST:**

Petitioner:

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Respondent:

Department of Health Services  
1 West Wilson Street, Room 651  
Madison, Wisconsin 53703

By: Kathleen Jones

Waukesha County Health and Human Services  
514 Riverview Avenue  
Waukesha, WI 53188

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:  
Corinne Balter  
Division of Hearings and Appeals

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. The petitioner (CARES # [REDACTED]) is a resident of Waukesha County.
2. On December 26, 2014 the agency sent the petitioner notice stating that effective October 1, 2014 she would be eligible for health care benefits if she met the deductible amount.
3. On January 29, 2015 the Division of Hearings and Appeals received the petitioner's request for fair hearing. Her request stated that her medical bills totaled \$15,000, and that is too much money.
4. On February 17, 2015 a hearing was held. At the hearing the petitioner presented a large stack of medical bills to the agency.
5. Following the hearing, the record remained open. During this open period the agency reviewed the medical bills submitted by the petitioner.
6. On February 23, 2015 the agency sent the petitioner a notice stating that she was eligible for Medicaid with a deductible in the amount of \$7,480.98 for the period of October 1, 2014 through March 31, 2015, and that effective January 26, 2015 she met that deductible amount.
7. The petitioner did not provide any further documentation during this open record period.

**DISCUSSION**

In this case the petitioner's main concern was that she was not given credit for the medical bills that she had incurred. She presented those bills at the hearing. Following the hearing, the agency took those bills into consideration, and re-determined the petitioner's deductible amount and when that deductible amount had been met. Thus, the issues have been resolved, and there remains no issue for the undersigned ALJ's determination.

**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

There remains no issue for determination.

**THEREFORE, it is**

**ORDERED**

That the petition is dismissed.

**REQUEST FOR A REHEARING**

You may request a rehearing if you think this decision is based on a serious mistake in the facts or the law or if you have found new evidence that would change the decision. Your request must be **received within 20 days after the date of this decision**. Late requests cannot be granted.

Send your request for rehearing in writing to the Division of Hearings and Appeals, 5005 University Avenue, Suite 201, Madison, WI 53705-5400 **and** to those identified in this decision as "PARTIES IN INTEREST." Your rehearing request must explain what mistake the Administrative Law Judge made and why it is important or you must describe your new evidence and explain why you did not have it at your first hearing. If your request does not explain these things, it will be denied.

The process for requesting a rehearing may be found at Wis. Stat. § 227.49. A copy of the statutes may be found online or at your local library or courthouse.

### **APPEAL TO COURT**

You may also appeal this decision to Circuit Court in the county where you live. Appeals must be filed with the Court **and** served either personally or by certified mail on the Secretary of the Department of Health Services, 1 West Wilson Street, Room 651, Madison, Wisconsin 53703, **and** on those identified in this decision as “PARTIES IN INTEREST” **no more than 30 days after the date of this decision** or 30 days after a denial of a timely rehearing (if you request one).

The process for Circuit Court Appeals may be found at Wis. Stat. §§ 227.52 and 227.53. A copy of the statutes may be found online or at your local library or courthouse.

Given under my hand at the City of Milwaukee,  
Wisconsin, this 20th day of March, 2015

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\sCorinne Balter  
Administrative Law Judge  
Division of Hearings and Appeals



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The preceding decision was sent to the following parties on March 20, 2015.

Waukesha County Health and Human Services  
Division of Health Care Access and Accountability